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Marie Jansen's Bathing Suit.

The town of Newton is one of the oldest seaports along the New England coast. It used to be a prosperous whaling station, but many years ago it fell into decay, and now it is a veritable Sleepy Hollow. This semi-comatose community was thrown into a state of vast excitement by the arrival of the famous soubrette, who traveled incognito as Miss Harriet M. Johnson. It was rumored that she was a Cuban heiress, but this false rumor was corrected by the Newton Weekly Palladium, whose editor had once visited New York on a free railway pass. The dash which the fascinating soubrette cut among the men folk of the community was simply awful. Her beauty and the splendor of her attire simply paralyzed the town. Ezra Hubbard, a wealthy old bachelor, who had been one of the selectmen of the town for going on 18 years, was one of the first to capitulate to the charms of the soubrette, and the young fellows swarmed around her like bees in a clover patch.

Jansen enjoyed the fun immensely, but the summit of her delight was reached one hot August morning when, attired in a new bathing suit, she sauntered down the beach and rolled around in the surf like a young porpoise. The bathing suit was of black silk, abridged to an alarming degree, and made upon so economical a pattern as to fit the wearer's round person most snugly. "It is delightfully indecent," wrote Miss Jansen to her manager in New York.

As the fame of this remarkable bathing costume was wafted abroad pilgrims began to arrive in Newton from every point along the coast, and even the inland towns sent delegates. It is only fair to say that most of these delegates were of the male persuasion. The woman folk of Newton arose as one man and declared that never in all their born days had they seen or heard or dreamed of anything so awful; and to show the audacious visitor that they did not approve of her, none would invite her to "occupy our pew with us on Sunday."

Those good but indignant dames to the contrary notwithstanding, the men folk of the village insisted that the soubrette was a really beautiful, but good, and their verdict was endorsed by the multitude attracted by the fame of the black silk bathing suit. The situation became so alarming that the minister of the Congregational church made up his mind to preach a sermon about the bathing suit and of the danger to it, and warning the men folk—youth, middle-aged, old and senile—who stood, individually and collectively, as the ecclesiastical phrase has it, at the point of peril.

But every one morning the fair Jansen took her flimsy—bag, baggage, scrip, scrippage, black silk suit and all—and like Lord Dill in Campbell's poem, the yeoman of Newton, Mass., were left lamenting. That night the fascinating soubrette flitted before the footlights of an undogged playhouse in New York, and regaled the brainless dudes with a meaningless ditty entitled "Be Good."

That night did peace brood once more among the feminine gender of Newton Mass.; only the men were miserable, and, when Ezra Hubbard cut his corn in the fall he will go to New York to sell it.—Chicago News.

By RAIL FROM JERUSALEM TO JOPPA.—

The United States consul at Jerusalem reports to the State Department under the date of August 21 the commencement of a survey for a railroad from Jerusalem to Joppa.

The report says the French engineers charged with making the preliminary survey for the railroad arrived in Jerusalem on the 15th of August and have entered upon their work. The distance between Joppa and Jerusalem, as the bird flies, is 32 miles, but the present road winding up and down the hills and through the valleys, is 40 miles in length. Several routes are suggested, but that most likely to be followed starts from a point on the coast immediately north of Joppa, passing through the German colony Garona and crossing the plains of Ramleh and Lydda, and approaching Jerusalem through the plain of Rephaim, close to the German temple colony near Bethlehem road. The greater part of the route lies through the fertile plains of Sharon.

CAUGHT A NEGRO INSTEAD OF A BEAR.—

William Henderson, a farmer, living near Fort Smith, Ark., has been missing corn for his crib for several weeks, and finally set a bear trap among the stubs in his crib. One morning when he went to look at his trap he had a negro in it. He was caught by the foot, and the sharp steel had nearly cut it off.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sore, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by E. S. Leadbeater &amp; Bro.

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Bill saved by always

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If you have eaten any-

thing hard of digestion,

or feel heavy after meals,

or sleepless at night; if

you lead a sedentary life

or are weakened by the

strain of your duties; if

you need a cathartic to

relax the bowels; if you re-

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healthy localities, or food

or water does not agree

with you, a dose of

Simmons Liver Regu-

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"You are at liberty to use my name in

praise of Simmons Liver Regulator, and

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preventive of Fever and Ague. It super-

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Supply of Fall and Winter Goods,

And is now prepared to furnish

SUITS IN ALL THE LATEST STYLES

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Having this day (Sept. 7) taken charge of the

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to serve my friends and the public with the best

of everything found in a first-class restaurant and

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Pool Room and Private Dining Rooms jy5 3m

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Also have in stock FRUIT PUDDING, a deli-

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call special attention to the Flower Bowl at 45c,

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to call and examine this ware at

mh 23 E. J. MILLER &amp; SON.

"VIENNA" CHINA.

We have just received direct from Vienna four

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WATER; specially strong in Lithia and Ar-

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DOCK MADEIRA WINE at \$4 per gallon, a

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Apply at

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